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AS I SEE IT

William Kriebel (27)

Cover: An ABNCo vignette, enlarged, from a recent auction.

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I am in an effort to get this issue in the mail BEFORE the holidays, so the "Treasurer's Report" will appear in the next issue. Currently, an issue would be mailed to 146 addresses, but of those who pay dues, 47 have NOT renewed as of 2 December 2012. I hope some do, before this goes in the mail, because, otherwise, they will NOT receive it! I do NOT have the time, temperament, nor staff, to continue to request membership renewals. Maybe they will respond in the New Year!

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I regret to report the death of long time member, **Richard T. Moore**, on 1 October 2012. Dick, also a member of the METRO Chapter, was born on 15 May 1927, and lived in Yonkers, NY.

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From the most recent auction, I learned a lesson about our U. S. Postal Service. It seems Priority Mail boxes come in two types: there is a "Medium Flat Rate Box" (13.75" x 12" x 3.5") which costs $11.35, regardless of weight and/or distance; then there is a "Mailing Box" (13.5" x 12" x 2.75"), which in this case cost an additional $2.50 to mail, as the rate is based on weight and distance! Other than the uninformed, e.g., me, why would anyone use the later, smaller, more expensive box? The postal clerk advised me that the less expensive boxes were "on the other side" of the display!

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I am still looking for response to my questions:
(1) What would you like to see in this Journal? and
(2) What kind of material would you like to see in the auctions, i.e., what kind of material would you be interested in placing a bid? Please let me know!

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Lee Quast (849) was at the ANA show, in Dallas and arranged to have some of the BEP cards (last, see p. C3) canceled with a special cancel provided by the ANA. The card was NOT issued at the show nor, like the other two cards issued this year, bears any text indicating where/when it was issued. BEP cards are referred to as "Intaglio Prints," although our membership still considers them as "souvenir cards."

In the spirit of the season, I (and ABNCo, 1989),wish you all safe and happy holidays and all the best for the New Year!

WANTED! ARTICLES, ILLUSTRATIONS, NEWS, INFORMATION!

I NEED YOUR INPUT for publication in this Journal. Send legible copy and clear (unfolded, please) photocopies, or text with scans (300 dpi minimum) of interesting or unusual items for reproduction. Originals are also welcome, I will return them if requested. Please bear in mind that the "working area" on a page is 6.75" wide by 9.25" high in order to maintain borders and "footer" information. Please include your SCCS membership number and SCCS numbers of the material you send. Thank you.

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MEMORIAL BOOK PORTRAITS

Greg Alexander (304)

While researching my previous article on the BEP statue books [32:2], I got reacquainted with memorial books, many of which contain Bureau engraved portraits. These were issued by the Government Printing Office, each an assemblage of eulogies presented in Congress following the death of statesman or dignitary. A list of these books was printed in the 3Q 2006 issue of the Souvenir Card Journal [26:3].

I wanted to learn whether any of these portraits appear on souvenir cards or federal currency. Vice President Thomas Hendricks, for instance, appears on an 1886 $10 silver certificate—did that portrait match the one in his memorial book?

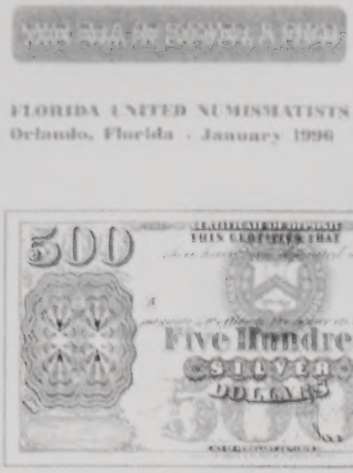
Alas, no, they are entirely different engravings. In fact, remarkably few BEP portraits made the leap from memorial books to money. Out of more than 300 books, only four portraits were reproduced on currency: Presidents Lincoln and Garfield, Senator Charles Sumner, and Samuel Morse, inventor of the telegraph.

The Lincoln portrait [opposite], engraved by Henry Gugler, appeared in "Memorial Address on the Life and Character of Abraham Lincoln," published in 1866. The portrait was used previously on the 1864 $20 Interest Bearing Treasury Note and $20 Compound Interest Treasury Note, and later on federal bonds.

Though the Lincoln book is commonly regarded the first memorial book produced by the Government Printing Office that is inaccurate. There were at least three earlier GPO books—including one for Stephen Douglas in 1861—however, Lincoln's book was the first to include an engraved portrait.

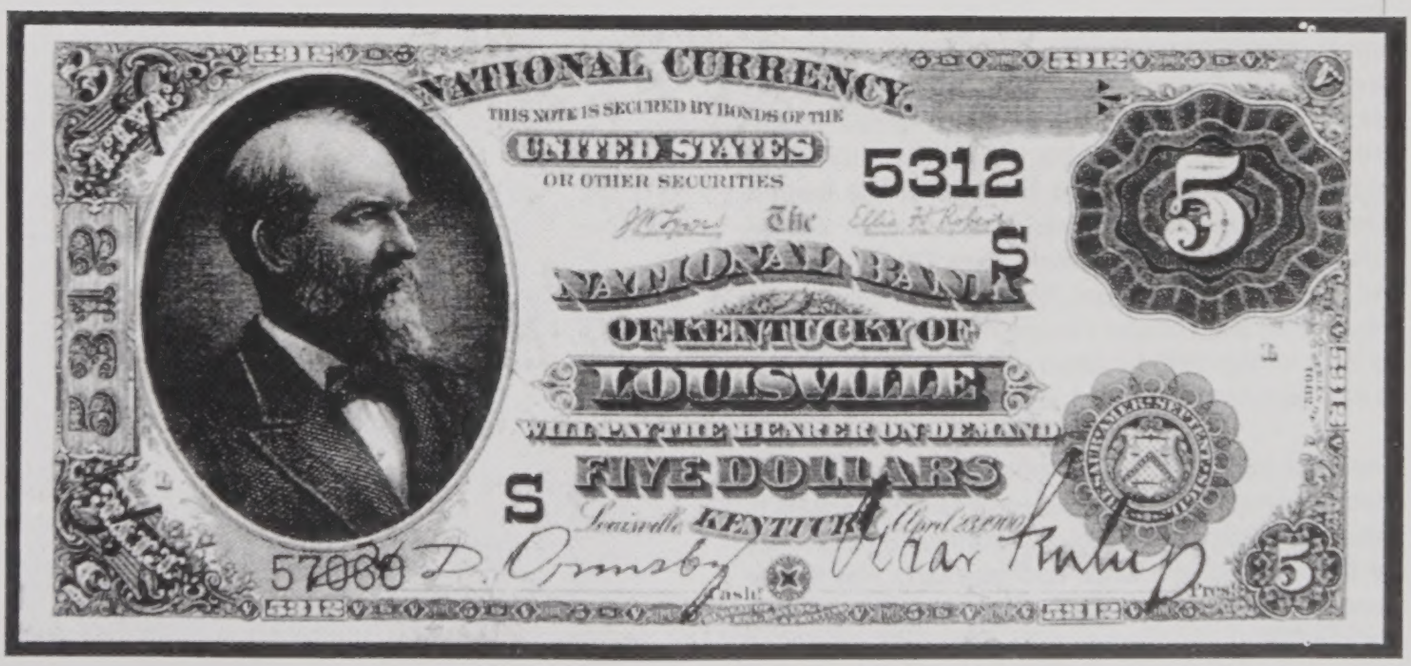
This portrait and its ornate frame is featured on B302, the first of the 2012 intaglio print series. (As a side note, the B302 information card erroneously lists "Misc. Die #287 - Ornate Border" as engraved in 1869. Lincoln's memorial book came out in 1866).

A. Lincoln.



The 1874 memorial book for Senator Charles Sumner of Massachusetts includes a Bureau portrait that later graced the $500 silver certificates of 1878 and 1880. The 1878 note appears on B203, the 1996 FUN souvenir card. Sumner was an outspoken abolitionist, perhaps best known as the recipient of a savage beating in 1856 on the Senate floor by a South Carolina congressman, in retaliation for a speech that impugned a relative.

Garfield's portrait, the centerpiece of an elaborate engraving for the president's 1882 memorial book, also appears on the $5 National Bank Note of the same year. In addition, the memorial engraving was



DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
BUREAU OF ENGRAVING AND PRINTING
WASHINGTON, D.C.

This engraving, printed from a plate prepared from the original master die, is a replica of the back of the 1896 $2 Silver Certificate. It complements the face printing of this class, denomination, and series which was issued as a souvenir card in 1972. Design and execution of this back was by Thomas F. Morris, Chief of the Engraving Division of the Bureau at the time.

The allegorical design on the face of this note is titled, "Science Presenting Steam and Electricity to Commerce and Manufacture." Appropriately, the portraits of two inventors, Robert Fulton and Samuel Morse, are paired on this back to reflect their contributions to science in the fields of steam and electric power.

AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION
85TH ANNIVERSARY CONVENTION—AUGUST 24-29, 1976
NEW YORK CITY

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issued separately with a black frame and is considered one of the earliest souvenir cards. These cards are included as Bureau forerunners in the SCCS numbering catalog as FB 1882A (card) and FB 1882Aa (book frontispiece).

Samuel Morse was one of only two non-politicians honored with Congressional eulogies (the other was Joseph Henry, director of the Smithsonian Institution). At 359 pages, his 1875 memorial book is largest of the series. It also has one of the longest titles: "Memorial Of Samuel Finley Breese Morse, Including Appropriate Ceremonies Of Respect At The National Capitol, And Elsewhere by Congress." The portrait from Morse's memorial book appears on the back of the 1896 $2 silver certificate, reproduced on B38 from the 1976 ANA show.

Memorial books, for those interested, can be found relatively inexpensively online—often $5 to $10 each. Those containing portraits that appear on currency are the most sought after and generally run $50 or more. A nice copy of the Lincoln book may bring close to $200.

With sincere esteem
Your friend & serv't
Sam. S. Phillips

NUMBER
15 BROWN
AMERICAN
BANK NOTE
COMPANY
This sheet graphically illustrates a tint color available for use in the printing of steel engraved bonds and stock certificates.
COLOR
CHART

In my search for American Bank Note Company (ABNCo) material, preferably intaglio items, I recently acquired these two pieces.

The item at left, shown full size, is engraved in color (light brown) on heavy stock (with small color dots integral with the stock, akin to a watermark,which I believe is a security measure) and is, in my opinion a beautiful piece of craftsmanship! I wish you could see it in color, but I must presume there are more out there.

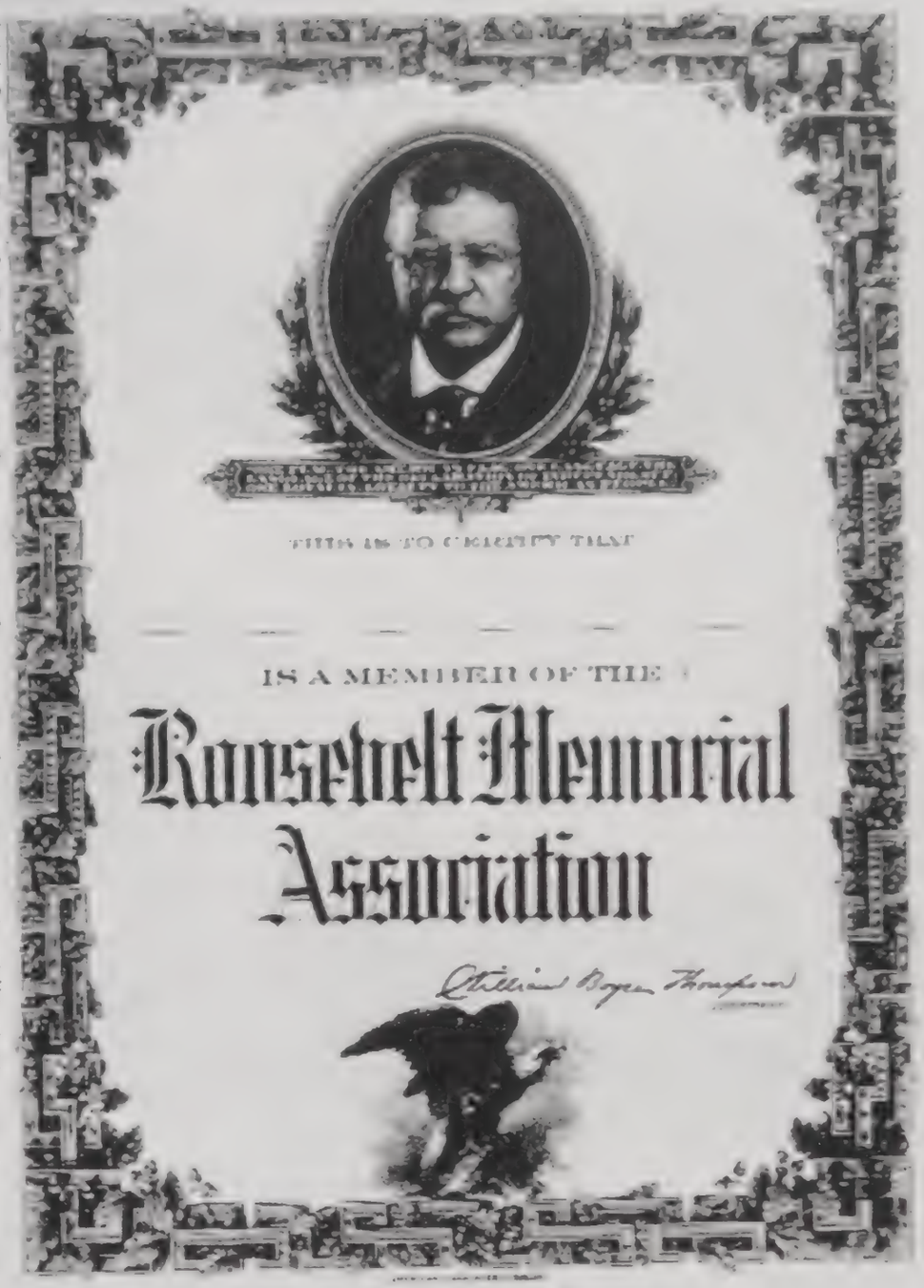
"Teddy", at right, is offset printed in black. It is 6.5" x 9" on heavy paper, and is FSO 1919A in the SCCS system.

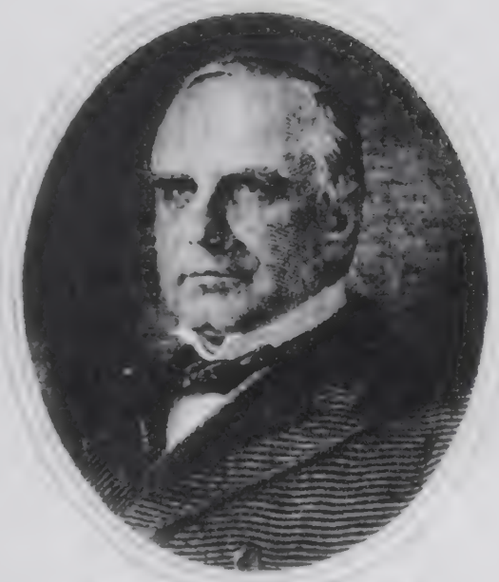
On the Internet I found the card (right, below) advertising the Continental Bank Note Company. Pictured (l. to r.) are Farragut, Grant, and Stanton (Sec. of War).

On the next two pages, I show some vignettes included in an ABNCo advertising brochure of 1972. They are printed in blue on velum. Because of the size (8.5" x 12.25"), I had to modify the scans. They are full size, but are divided into two pieces at or about the center vertically.

Finally, on page 12, another item from the Web.

[Have you found anything, on or off the Web, that you would care to share with the membership? If so, please contact the Editor. Thanks.]





WILLIAM McKINLEY
BUFFALO, N.Y.
SEPTEMBER 5th 1901

"LET US EVER REMEMBER THAT OUR INTEREST
IS IN CONCORD, NOT CONFLICT: +
AND THAT OUR REAL EMINENCE RESTS
IN THE VICTORIES OF PEACE, +
NOT THOSE OF WAR." + + +

COMPLIMENTS
WESTERN BANK NOTE AND ENGRAVING COMPANY
WESTERN DIVISION, AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
CHICAGO

S.C.C.S. AUCTION NO. 24

William Kriebel (27)

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3. Consignors will pay the postage to ship their lots and postage/insurance for return of unsold material. There is NO consignment fee, however, the S.C.C.S. will retain 10% of the selling price as a commission fee. Care shall be taken to protect any material submitted, but the auctioneer and the S.C.C.S. assumes NO liability and the consignor(s) should verify and/or provide their own insurance coverage.

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7. Bids and/or questions may be e-mailed—the quickest way—regular mail, or carrier.

Abbreviations Used

c	canceled
fdoi	first day of issue
fdsc	first day show canceled
m	mint, as issued
op	overprinted
sc	show canceled
vcc	visitor center canceled
w/xxxx	with Scott numbered stamps

Auction No. 24 Bids due 24 January 2013.

Note: This auction consists of some material that has NOT been offered previously. For some lots, more than one copy is available, and they are listed. After this auction, I will no longer list lots with a value of less than $5.00. I have a large quantity of PS, ASDA, UN and APS cards. Since the "value" of these cards is fairly minimal, I chose not to take the space here to offer them. If you have any interest in these areas, please send your "want list and offer." If I have them or not, you will be notified very quickly!

Lot No. .....Minimum Bid

Bureau of Engraving and Printing Cards (B)

001. B-9 & 16, INTERPEX, two cards, m.....1
002. similar lot.....1
003. similar lot.....1
004. B-18, ANA, m 5
005. B-53, IPMS, m 6
006. B-66, STAMP EXPO, vc 8
007. B-89, GARFIELD, m.....7
008. B-95-96, Liberty Bell (brown), m 29
009. B-97, HOUPEX, m 7
010. B-101, BEP, 125th, m 17
011. B-101D, IPMS, m.....38
012. B-107, BEP book, no cards, m 4
013. B-109, State Shields, m.....54
014. B-110, SESCAL, m 7
015. B-113, State Shields, m.....73
016. B-113, State Shields, m.....44
017. B-132, STAMPSHOW, vc 7
018. B-138, ARIPEX, vc 7
019. B-142, STAMPSHOW, m.....7
020. B-151, STAMPSHOW, vc 8
021. B-161, APS, vc 7
022. B-164, CFC, m 8
023. B-175, BOND, m 8
024. B-181 & 190, 2 card, vc.....17
025. B-186, CENTENNIAL (black), m 85
026. B-191, ASDA, vc 9
027. B-202, ASDA, sc 8
028. B-222, MILCOPEX, m 8
029. B-223, BOND, m 7
030. B-229, Trans-Mississippi, m 65
031. B-259, Print, m.....37
032. B-262, Print, m.....37
033. similar lot.....37
034. B-304, ANA, c/080712 BFranklin.....25

Semi-Official Cards (SO)

035. SO-10, ANA, m 4
036. SO-12, SPMC, m 4
037. SO-16, INTERPAM, m 7
038. SO-59, Eight States, m 7
039. SO-63, Miami, sc 11
040. SO-66, Three States, m 4
041. SO-78, APS, m 8
042. SO-81, ASDA, m 8
043. SO-83, PNSE, m 6
044. SO-88, WCSE, m 8
045. SO-89, WCSE, m 8
046. SO-109, ORCOEXPO, m 8
047. SO-113, PLYMOUTH, m 10
048. SO-116, ANA, m 9
049. SO-123, ARIPEX, m 9
050. SO-133, APS (special), m 53
051. SO-136, ASDA, m 9

National S.C.C.S. Cards (N)

052. N-11, ANA 1999, sc 6
053. N-14, ANA 2002, m 5
054. same, sc 6
055. N-18, WASHINGTON, sc 6
056. N-19, Annual, 30 years, c 6
057, N-20, ANA 2009, sc 6
058. N-20, Annual, c/080712, BFranklin 8
059. similar lot 8

Metro Chapter Four Cards (M)

060. M-5A?, Swap Meet (USPS), c 6
061. M-7, Northeast Stamp, sc 5
062. M-8, 1996 Annual, fdoi Muybridge 5
063. same, fdoi Liberty 5
064. M-9, MEGA, fdoi Cycling x 2 5
065. M-10, Edison, c x 3 7
066. M-11, 5th Anniversary, fdoi Holly 5
067. M-12, MEGA, sc 5
068. M-16, Roosevelt, c x 2 7
069. M-17, AMERICAOVER, sc 5
070. M-18, MEGA, sc 5
071. M-20, MEGA, sc 5
072. M-21, Washington, m 6
073. M-21, Washington, c, w/text card 7
074. same, c x 2, w/text card 8
075. M-22, MEGA, sc 5
076. M-23, Submarine, fdoi, c x 3 @ 99¢ 7
077. same 7
078. M-28, Brooklyn, c/010811 7
079. M-28, Brooklyn, c/010827 7
080. M-29, MEGA, sc 5
081. M-30, Military Academy, fdoi + Thayer 7
082. M-30, Military Academy, fdoi 7
083. M-31, MEGA, sc 5
084. M-32, MEGA, fdoi 5
085. M-33, MEGA, sc 5
086. M-34, Annual 2003, sc 5
087. same, fdoi 5
088. M-35, Flight, m 7
089. M-35, Flight, fdoi/3 locations @ $1.11 8
090. M-35, Flight, fdoi/multi locations @ $2.22 10
091. M-36, MEGA, sc 7
092. M-36, MEGA, fdoi 7
093. M-37, Annual 2004, fdoi 5
094. same 5
095. M-39, MEGA, fdoi 5
096. M-40, Subway, c 5
097. M-41, Annual 2005, fdoi 6
098. same 6
099. M-4@, MEGA, sc/fdoi 6
100. M-43, MEGA, sc 6
101. M-44, WASHINGTON, m 7
102. same, m 7
103. same, fdoi 4 stamps, color cancels $3.17 35
104. same, fdoi $8 souvenir sheet 20
105. same, fdoi Champlain x 2 10
106. same, fdoi 4 stamps, black cancels $6.17 10
107. M-45, MEGA, fdoi 5
108. same, sc 5
109. M-46, sc/fdoi 5
110. same 5
111. same, fdoi only 5
112. M-47, 15th anniversary, fdoi 5
113. M-48, MEGA, fdoi 5
114. same, sc Christmas 5
115. same, sc Bridge 5

Forerunner Cards (F)

116. F1973A, 75th IPPDS&EU, m 62
117. F1973B, m 2
118. F1981B, 79th, m 14
119. F1982A, NAPEX, m 9
120. F1984A, NAPEX, m 2
121. F1985D, 81st, m 10
122. same, m 10
123. same, m 10
124. F1987A, m 6
125. F1987B, m 6
126. F1989H, "Beech", m 8
126A. F1993A, Great Eastern Numismatic, m, signed by Mike Bean 6
127. F1993B, 85th, m 23
128. F2004A, 110th, m 9

Dids due 24 January 2013

Facilities Managers Association Cards (FM)

129. FM-7, IPMS, sc 14
130. FM-9, IPMS, sc 14
131. FM-10, IPMS, m 11
132. same, sc 14
133. FM-10, IPMS, m 7

United Nations Cards (UN)

134. Thirty-six (36), thirty (30) different 18

American Numismatic Association (ANA)

135. ANA-1, Coole Library, c, w/progtam 85
136. ANA-6, Beebe, m 9
137. ANA-9, Sweden, m 11
138. ANA-12, D-Day, c 7

Michael Bean Cards (MB)

139. MB-41, FUN 2007, m 7
140. MB-44, FUN 2009, m 7
141. same, sc 8
142. MB-45, FUN, 2011, m....7
143. MB-46, FUN die stamp, m 3

Lee Quast Cards (Q)

144. Q-6, FUN 2000, sc....5
145. Q-8, IPMS, sc....5
146. Q-10, ANA Banquet, sc 9
147. Q-19, Strasburg C&S&BS, signed 86/100, sc ..13
148. Q-21, CPMX, sc....6
149. Q-23, Strasburg S,B&CS, sc....10
150. Q-24, Strasburg, S,B&CS, signed 31/100, sc....13
151. Q-25, IPMS 2002, sc 7
152. same, m 10
153. Q-26, ANA Banquet, sc 6
154. Q-29,Strasburg C&S&BS, sc 7
155. Q-31, Strasburg C&S&BS, sc, signed 74/100 ..13
156. Q-34, CPMX, sc....5
157. Q-38, CPMX, sc....5

Fish & Wildlife Cards (BD, ND)

158. BD-1, Redhead, m, w/stamp 53
159. same, m, no stamp 41
160. BD-2, Snowgoose, m, w/stamp 35
161. same, c 39
162. BD-3, Lesser scaup, m, w/stamp....30
163. same, c 34
164. same, c 34
165. BD-3A, World Stamp Expo, card c with 25¢ Expo stamp, three mint WL stamps 46
166. BD-4, Black-Bellied, m, w/stamp 30
167. same, c 34
168. same, m, no stamp 20
169. same ....
170. BD-5, King Elders, m, w/stamp....30
171. same, c 34
172. smae 34
173. BD-6, Spectacled Eider, c....37
174. BD-7, Canvasbacks, c....37
175. BD-8, Mergenser, c....34
176. BD-9, Mallards, c 34
177. BD-10, Surf Scoter, m, no stamp 33
178. same, c 35
179. BD-11, Canada Goose, c 23
180. BD-12, Golden Eye, c 23
181. BD-13, Greater Scaup, c....23
182. BD-14, Mottled Duck, c 23
183. ND-3, INTERPEX, c 23
184. ND-13f, ASDA, c 18
185. ND-15, Commemorative, c 43
186. ND-17, Commemorative, c 43
187. ND-18, PACIFIC, c....27
188. ND-20, Commemorative, c 43
189. ND-21, Generic, c 27
190. ND-22, Commemorative, c 43
191. ND-23, Generic, c 27
192. ND-24, Commemorative, c 43

NAPEX Cards (NA)

Note: These are issued annually by the show committee, and are not yet listed in the S.C.C.S. system. I believe they were/are printed by Mike Bean.

193. NA-11, 1997, sc 7
194. NA-15, 2001, sc 7
195. NA-20, 2007, SC 7
196. NA-21, 2008, sc 7
197. NA-23, 2010, sc 7
198. NA-23a, 2010 Banquet, sc, w/menu 8

ABNCo Archive Series (SOA)

The following are individual intaglio sheets from the series of six sets, issued annualy in 1987 through 1992. They are listed in Dr.Radford's work. These do not include the text pages which identified the sources/uses of the vignettes. They are all mint.

199. 1987a, The Iron Horse 23
200. 1987b, The First Americans....23
201. 1987i, Winged Majesty....23
202. 1987j, Early Cities 23
203. 1987k, The Price of Freedom 23
204. 1987l, Across Town 23
205. 1988a, The Frontiersmen 23

206. 1988c, On The River 23
207. 1988d, Of Brick and Stone 23
208. 1988e, The Hunt 23
209. 1988f, Down In The Mines 23
210. 1988h, Cherubs and Cupids 23
211. 1988i, Prominent Americans 23
212. 1988j, The Naimal Kingdom 23
213. 1988k, Allegories of Finance 23
214. 1990f, Men and the Sea 23
215. 1990i, State Seals 23

Miscellaneous Items

216. PS & BEP (vignette) produced cards, 10 different, & 1 private issue (11 total) 8
217. BEP Intaglio presidential portraits (LBJ & GWB w/cancels; ASDA 224 & 260, c; & USPS 1983 card for 100th anniversary of Brooklyn Bridge, c 4

Yyes Baril Intaglio Prints
(See lots 152-178 in Auction 23, last issue.)

218. Eagle, black, m 5
219. Eagle, black, c/921204 6
220. Eagle, red, m 5
221. Eagle, green, m 5
222. Eagle, blue, m 5
223. Eagle, violet, m 5
224. Bridge, black, m, signed 7
225. Still life, black, m, signed 7

Books

226. 1876, Democratic Convention 25
227. 1882, Garfield Memorial 50
228. 1885, Washington Monument Dedication 75
229. 1959, *Story of the American Bank Note Company*, Griffiths, used. Front cover loose at binding, missing first three pages and plastic cover, some soiling. Intaglio sheets appear to be fine. 35

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(below, Lot No. 198)

150th Anniversary of the Pony Express

Each rider carried mail for about 75-100 miles, changing horses at stations usually 10-15 miles apart.

ANNUAL BANQUET

OF 125

Souvenir Card No. 23

NAPEX 2010
June 4-6, 2010
McLean, Virginia

MEMBERS EXCHANGE

Membership

Members, PLEASE UPDATE your "free" ads in this column. ! Contact the Editor. Thanks

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For Sale: Souvenir Cards - BEP. USPS. UN, PPU and ASDA, mint and canceled. No. 10 SASE (85¢) for lists. **Stephen Goceliak** (831), **P.O. Box 157, Fords, NJ 08863**.

C

Wanted: Know a young person (under 25) who would like to join the S.C.C.S.? Let me know I will sponsorship their membership for a year, for up to five (5) new young members! **Lorne Lavertu** (153), **lornelavertu@comcast.net**

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Wanted: Australian Stamp Replica Cards: No. 34, 35, 36a, 37, 38, 39, 39a, 40a, 41a, 42a, 44a and 45a. **Ronald Betz** (34), **1021 Sussex Drive, Northbrook, IL 60062**.

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For Sale: BEP, ABNC, Union, Duck, USPS, Bean, UN, APS, ASDA, SCCS, Chapter, Event, **Hand-Pulled**. Mint, Show Canceled. Also, USPS Max cards. **Discounts to 40%**. Postage, insurance included. Lists: **Stan Miller** (647), **PO Box 58, Hopewell Junction, NY 12533**; or **afterthebluе@optimum.net**

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For Sale: Hundreds of Forerunners, Proofs, BEP, PS, ABNCo, ASDA, UN, etc. **60% off estimated retail**. Send #10 SAE for inventory. **Steve Feiertag** (808), **2107 Reston Circle, Royal Palm Beach, FL 33411**.

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Wanted: Philatelic Truck related material wanted by exhibitor. Please contact: **Gregg A. Hopkins, Sr.** (2031) (t)**602.954.8175;** (f)**602.957.2910;** or (e) **In1stPlace@cox.net**

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For Sale/Trade: "Let's make a deal!" I have a quantity of dupicate cards to offer. What is missing in your collection? Do you have duplicates to offer in exchange or do you simply want to buy at a very reasonable price? Let me know what you need and what you have. **William Kriebel** (27), **kriebewv@drexel.edu** or **1923 Manning St., Philadelphia, PA 19103-5728**

S.C.C.S. AUCTION NO. 23: PRICES REALIZED

William Kriebel (27)

There were nine (9) bidders in this auction, which included some engraved items not previously offered. I was pleased to see there was some interest in the non-souvenir card, but engraved, pieces.

Eighty-one (81) lots were sold for a total of $1,258.00. Two (2) lots were withdrawn (WD), as they were mis-described.

Lot	Realized	028	12	074	7	118	7	154	11	170	7
001	27	029	15	077	8	124	250	155	6	171	7
002	35	030	3	082	7	125	80	156	6	172	7
006	7	033	8	083	7	128	2	157	6	173	8
008	3	037	3	090	9	129	2	158	6	174	6
013	7	044	17	091	26	139	55	159	6	175	WD
016	2	047	95	092	20	140	8	160	6	176	6
019	3	049	12	093	WD	141	8	162	6	177	6
020	2	051	9	098	8	142	15	163	6	178	6
022	2	056	9	100	12	143	10	164	6	186	5
024	7	064	56	102	19	144	10	165	6	188	5
025	4	065	7	103	9	145	10	166	6	192	7
026	10	066	27	107	16	146	10	167	6	208	5
027	3	070	8	116	70	152	8	169	9	213	5

Souvenir Cards: A Visual Reference, Third Edition, 2012, includes the following cards:

1. Bureaof Engraving and Printing (B), 28 pp.;
2. Postal Service (PS), 8 pp.;
3. Semi-Official (SO), 16 pp.;
4. American Stamp Dealers Association (ASDA), 28 pp.;
5. ASDA Chapters (C, CB), 6 pp.;
6. Souvenir Card Collectors Society (N), 4 pp.;
7. Washington Chapter One (W), 8 pp.;
8. Metro Chapter Four (M), 6 pp.;
9. Forerunner (F), 12 pp.;
10. Federal Managers Association (FM), 6 pp.;
11. United Nations (UN), 6 pp.;
12. American Numismatic Association (ANA), 4 pp.;
13. American Philatel;ic Society (APS), 6 pp.;
14. Michael Bean (MB), 8 pp.;
15. Lee Quast (Q), 6 pp.;
16. Fish & Wildlife (BD, FD, ND & RD), 12 pp..

There are a total of 170 pages, plus 4 pages of ads and a membership application form. It is three-hole punched and comes in a flexible binder. This edition, with 20 new/revised pages, updates the B, N, W, MB and Q sections of the Second Edition.

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Editor, *The Souvenir Card Journal*
1923 Manning Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103-5728

ABNCo IMPRINT ON BEP CARD

Greg Alexander (304)

In the process of looking through my collection the other day I came across a unique detail I'd never noticed before. In fact, I don't recall seeing anything about this in the Souvenir Card Journal, so this seems a good opportunity to give it a spotlight.

B226, issued by the BEP for the 1998 International Paper Money Show (opposite, center), features a nice intaglio reprint of the back of a First Charter $100 National Bank Note. The central engraving of the Signing of the Declaration of Independence also happens to be one I have in my collection of BEP vignette prints (above). I keep these two in the same album as counterparts, but hadn't studied them closely. At the bottom of the vignette print is the title and an imprint: "Eng'd by the American Bank Note Co. N.Y." (enlarged, above). Upon closer observation, the note on the souvenir card shows the same imprint, though it's partly obscured by the overprint of the green frame.

In the 1860s and '70s, much of our federal currency was printed entirely or in part by private banknote firms, before the BEP gained the capacity to take on printing of all fiscal securities around 1877. Several souvenir cards feature these early notes from private companies, without acknowledging that these were actually not the work of the BEP. However, to my knowledge this card is the only one that shows an imprint other than that of the Bureau.

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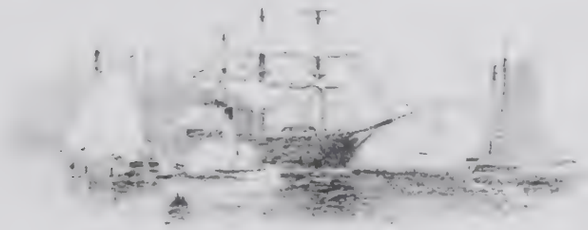
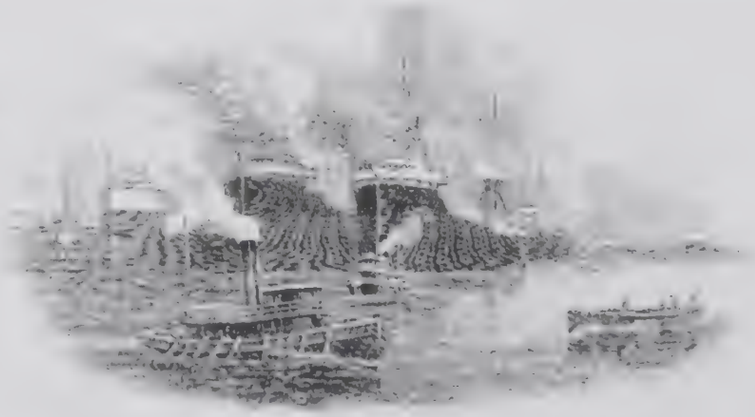
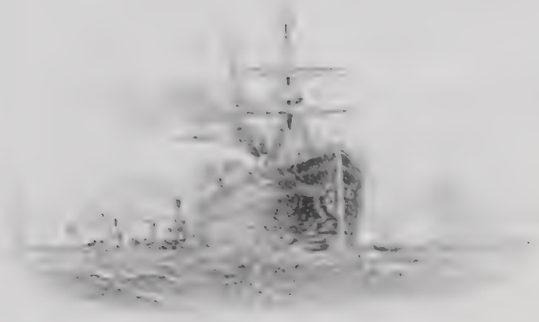
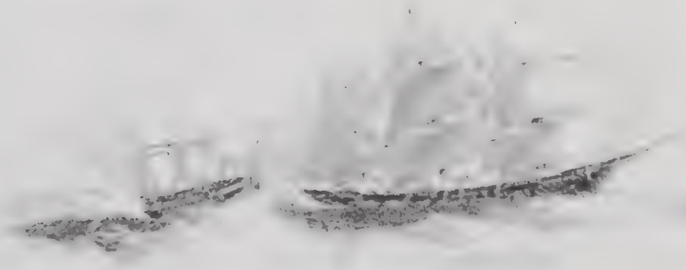
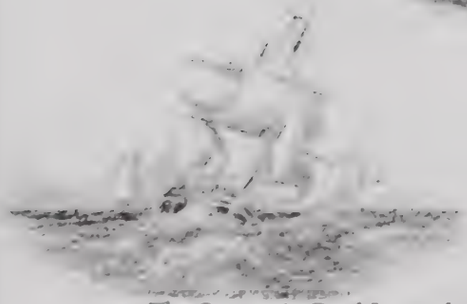
American Bank Note Company.

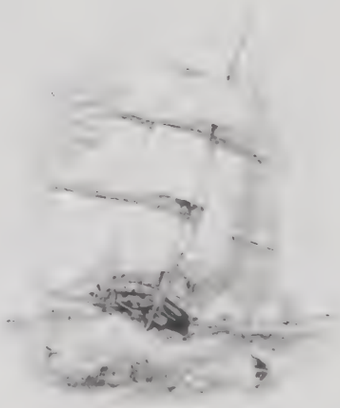












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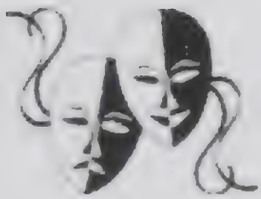
Jose Ferrer



SOUVENIR CARDS AVAILABLE AND/OR FORTHCOMING AND MAJOR SHOWS

This listing is intended to alert the membership and serve as an update of the SCCS numbering system. Numbers are shown in "()" until confirmed and will be deleted when no longer available ("N.A.") from the initial sources. It does NOT include ASDA or UN cards as this information is NOT readily available in advance of the event. It is as complete as possible and no responsibility is taken for changes. Anyone who can supply missing ("?") information and/or data concerning availability should please contact the Editor. I also list forthcoming/major shows. Whether or not souvenir cards will be issued at these shows will be reported if and when such information becomes available. **Card sources are listed at the top of the next page.**

Date	Event	Location	SCCS No.	Source	Cost	Note	Comment
2012							
27 January	AMERISTAMP	Atlanta, GA	APS-46	APS	2.00	4	2.50 sc
23 March	Cherry Blossom	Washington, DC	B302	BEP	9.95	1	
19 April	SpringStamp	New York, NY	M-59	SCCS#4	3.00	2	4.00 sc (opposite)
10 May	NationalMoney	Denver, CO	B303	BEP	20.00	3	22.50 by mail
1 June	NAPEX	McLean, VA	W-64	SCCS#1	6.00		8.50 sc, see 32:3, p.22
1 June	NAPEX	McLean, VA	NA-25	NA	5.00		6.00 sc, 7.00 banquet
8 August	ANA Fair	Philadelphia, PA	N-24	SCCS	dues		copy in last SCJ
8 August	ANA Fair	Philadelphia, PA	B304	BEP	20.00	3	22.50 by mail
16 August	STAMPSHOW	Sacramento, CA	APS-47	APS	2.00	4	2.50 sc
11 October	NATIONAL	New York, NY	(M-60)	SCCS#4			
18 October	anniversary	Washington, DC	B305	BEP	20.00	3	22.50 by mail
2013							
10 January	F.U.N.	Orlando, FL					
18 January	AMERISTAMP	Louisville, KY	(APS-48)	APS			
11 April	SpringStamp	New York, NY	(M-61)	SCCS#4			
31 May	NAPEX	McLean, VA	(W-65)	SCCS#1			
31 May	NAPEX	McLean, VA	(NA-26)	NA			
8 August	STAMPSHOW	Milwaukee, WI	(APS-49)	APS			
2014							
January	F.U.N.						
24 January	AMERISTAMP	Riverside, CA	(APS-50)	APS			
	SpringStamp			SCCS#4			
	NAPEX			SCCS#1			
	NAPEX			NA			
7 August	STAMPSHOW	Hartford, CT	(APS-51)	APS			

Notes:

1. This card is similar to B279 except that additional text has been added above the Bureau building: "Cherry Blossom 1912 — 2012 100th Anniversary." Price includes mailing. I have adjusted the numbers of the remaining Bureau cards to keep them in chronological order.
2. Add $2.00 per order for postage.
3. Available by "subscription" for $51.00 for all three. Franklin 2011 cards are no longer available. For current card and text, see following pages.
4. Cards are offered in sets, canceled for all days of the show.

SOUVENIR CARD SOURCES

APS American Philatelic Society 100 Match Factory Place Bellefonte, PA 16823-9910 stamps.org	ASDA American Stamp Dealers Association 217-14 Northern Blvd., Suite 205 Bayside, NY 11361 asdaonline.com	MCC Memphis Coin Club P.O. Box 40572 Memphis, TN 38174 memphiscoinclub.org
BEP Bureau of Engraving and Printing Mail Order Sales, Room 515-M 14th & C Streets, SW Washington, DC 20228 www.moneyfactory.gov (BEP Store)	CS&CSS John Denune Christmas Seal & Charity Stamp 234 E. Broadway Grainville, OH 43023 denune@roadrunner.com	IBNS-MW Brian Giese P.O. Box 461 Sturtvant, WI 53177
NA NAPEX P.O. Box 1312 Falls Church, VA 22041-1312 www.NAPEX.org	SCCS#1 (Washington Chapter) John S. Shue 1314 Darlington Street Forestville, MD 20747-1909 shuecachets@rcn.com	SCCS#4 (METRO Chapter) Donald Struyk 18 Chapel Place Wayne, NJ 07470-2701 donastr@optonline.net

Bureau of Engraving and Printing 2012 Intaglio Print Program "150th Anniversary Series"

Miscellaneous Die #11389 – *Border*
Engraved in 1928 by BEP engravers Howard S. Nutter and Charles F. Wittenauer.

Miscellaneous Die #1604 – *Vignette – End Pieces (Diplomatic Warrant) (right and left images are located on same Misc. Die)*
Engraved in 1873 – Engraver Unknown.

Miscellaneous Die #201475-3 – *Vignette – Western Currency Facility (BEP)*
Engraved in 2003 by Christopher Madden.

Portrait of Spencer M. Clark – *First Director of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing (1862-1868).*
Photo was signed by Engraver Lorenzo J. Hatch, who may have used the photograph for a potential design source.

Background image – Aerial view of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing's Western Currency Facility – Printed in Offset.

150th Anniversary Logo – Printed in Offset.

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